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Papers enclosed:

1. Transmittal Form (1 page)
2. Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (3 pages)
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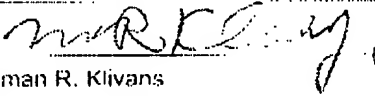
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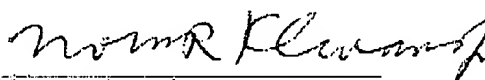
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